

PATENT 450100-4406.1

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Toppercuries .

Ryuji ISHIGURO, et al.

Serial No.

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For

ENCIPHERING APPARATUS AND METHOD, DECIPHERING APPARATUS AND METHOD AS WELL AS

INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS AND METHOD

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Examiner

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Art Unit

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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

<ul><li>No addition</li><li>The fee has</li></ul>	with is an amendment in the onal fee is required.  It is been calculated as shown application of a small entity	below.			n in parentheses	apply.
(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total claims	52	Minus	** = 70	*0x	\$50 (25)	=\$0
Independent claims 28		Minus	***=16	*12x	\$200 (100)	=\$2,400.00
		Total add	litional fee for tl	nis amendment		\$2,400.00

- \* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.
- \*\* If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- \*\*\* If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

This application contains a multiple dependent claim.	The required fee of \$360(180) has been previously paid $\square$ ,
or is paid herewith .	

- This response is being filed within the <u>second</u> month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a <u>two</u> month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.
- Checks in the amounts of \$ 2,400.00, \$450.00 and \$130.00, is attached, which covers the cost of 
   additional claims 
   petition for extension of time 
   Terminal Disclaimer.
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